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A few years ago "August Flower" was discovered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver complaint, a few thin Dyspeptics made known to their friends how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER became heraled through the country by one sufferer to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense. Druggists in EVERY TOWN in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, indigestion, low spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to your Druggist .....and get a bottle for 75 cents and try it—Sample bottles 10 cents.

Peruvian Syrup.

Brooks, Me., Sept. 7, 1870.

Dear Sir—From early youth I was in feeble health, troubled with humor in my blood, weakness and debility, of the system generally; was unable to labor much, and only at some light business, and then only with great caution. Seven years ago, the past spring, I had a severe attack of Diptheria which left my limbs paralized and useless, so I was unable to walk or even sit up. Noticing the advertisement of PERUVIAN SYRUP, I concluded to give it a trial, and to my great joy soon found my health improving, I continued the use of the SYRUP until three bottles had been used, and was restored to complete health, and have remained so till this day. I attribute my present health entirely to the use of PERUVIAN SYRUP, and hold it in high estimation. I cannot speak too highly in its praise. I have in several cases recommended it in cases very similar to my own and with the same good results.

Yours truly. CHARLES E. PERCY.

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Aside from the Directories of all the different towns and districts throughout the Island and Mainland, the work compiles from the most intelligent sources all the industries, mineral wealth, and other natural resources, including the educational, political and religious status, etc., etc. This book will be invaluable to intending immigrants and everyone whose interests are identified with the Province, and will meet a want which has never before its issue been supplied.

The publishers sincerely thank those gentlemen who have so kindly aided them with their valuable contributions.

*** 1mo T. N. HIBBEN, & Co.

JUST RECEIVED.—A very superior hand-shuttle sewing machine, the *Osborn B*, also the new *Osborn A*, are in advance of all competitors, having won for themselves unstinted praise and unparalelled success in the comparatively short time they have been before the public. The superiority of these machines over all others are being fully appreciated; a full set of attachments accompany each machine; also, instructions given in the use of them by a first class operator. These machines are thoroughly made in all their parts of the best material, and every machine warranted by the company and its agents. Call and examine whether you intend purchasing or not.—T. FLETCHER, Agent, Fort street, Victoria. Machines repaired.

A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY.—The highest cash price will be paid for Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's wearing apparel at Haggerty's Store on Dufferin street. Parties desirous of discontinuing housekeeping can meet a cash buyer for all household effects by applying at the above address.

DR. JAMES

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Rheumatism cured in one hour without pain. He is now using the *Electric Magnetic Machine* with good effect in many diseases of Rheumatic, Palsy or Paralysis and Fits.

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OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to and other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

Notices.

NOTICE—Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP BUSINESS HEREfore carried on between the undersigned as Watchmakers and Jewellers, in the city of Victoria, is dissolved by mutual consent. The business will henceforth be carried on by Hy. Rudolph, who will settle all partnership accounts.

J. L. JUNGERMANN,
HY. RUDOLPH.

Witness—W. Pollard.
Dated 8th Sept., 1877. se11

Notice to Builders.

PARTIES DESIROUS OF TENDERING for the erection of a Cottage Residence, together with Stable, etc., may inspect the plans, etc., at my office, where tenders will be received for portions or for the whole works on Saturday, Sept. 22nd, at noon.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Building to be situated on a plot of ground facing Richardson street, between Moss and Cook streets.

JNO. TEAGUE, Architect,
se12 Government St.

Insolvent Act of 1875 and Amending Acts

In the matter of LEON ECKSTEIN, an Insolvent.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED in this cause, and the Creditors are notified to meet at my office, Wharf street, Victoria, on Monday the 24th day of September, 1877, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an assignee if they see fit, and for the ordering of his affairs generally.

C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, Sept. 6th, 1877. se14

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the steamer Glenora are requested to hand them to the undersigned within 45 days from this date for examination and settlement.

A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
9th August, 1877. (au10) Langley street.

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THE LADIES OF VICTORIA ARE INvited by the undersigned to inspect the Fluting and Plaiting Machine now in her possession. Samples of 40 different sorts of Plaiting done by this machine (the only one of the kind in Victoria) constantly on exhibition by the undersigned, who holds from the patentee the sole right for the sale of the machine in British Columbia.

Trimmings made to order in every style.

MRS. HALPENNY,
no2 Dressmaker, etc., Yates st., Victoria.

Ld. Lowenberg,

Real Estate Agent,

Government St., near corner of Broughton

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street. Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage on sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

Notices.

Notice to Claimants of Land.

Yale District.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the District of Yale have been surveyed and the map thereof deposited in the office of W. Teague, Commissioner, Yale:—

Lots 34, 35, 36, 37 and 38, Group one (1).

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in the manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 8th, 1877. se9

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
17th August, 1877.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act, 1872," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof it is hereby notified that His Excellency has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of the "Stuart's Lake School District, viz:—

All that tract of land included in a circle, which may be described with a radius six miles in length from Fort St. James on Stuart's Lake.

By Command, T. ELWYN,
au19 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Assessment Act, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tax under the provisions of the Assessment Act, 1876, is past due, and all parties whose Taxes are unpaid are hereby required to call at the Collector's office Government street, and pay the same forthwith, otherwise the amounts so due will be collected with costs.

my8 J. E. McMILLAN, Collector.

ASSAYING.

William J. Sutton,

(Lately of the School of Mines, New York,)

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RESIDENCE—Fisgard street, fourth door east of St. John's Church. se6

NOTICE.

Town of Clinton, Lillooet District.

NOTICE is hereby given that lots fifty-one (51) and fifty-two (52), Town of Clinton, are hereby reserved until further notice.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Deptm't,
Victoria, 17th August, 1877. au19

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of FREDERICK RICHARDSON, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 25th November, 1877, to HENRY S. MASON,
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 25th Aug., 1877. au26dw

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
14th September, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint WILLIAM MCNAUGHTON JONES, Esquire, M.D., to be Medical Superintendent of the Lunatic Asylum. se16

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
August 23rd, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Honorable W. J. MACDONALD and J. W. DOUGLAS, Esq., M. P. P., Trustees, under the "Public Parks Act, 1876" of the public park or pleasure ground, Victoria, known as Beacon Hill. au26

COAST DISTRICT.

NAAS RIVER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Section No. 2, Block 1, Coast District, situate on the right bank of Naas River and about fourteen (14) miles from the mouth of the said river, has been surveyed in accordance with Clause 15, "Land Act, 1875," and the map thereof can be seen at the Land Office, Victoria.

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in the manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, 11th Aug. 1877. au12

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of JAMES SALISBURY, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 10th day of November, 1877, to HENRY S. MASON,
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 10th Aug., 1877. au26dw

SCHOOL TAX, 1877.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE School Tax for the year 1877 is due and payable to the undersigned on and after the 1st July proximo. All male residents of 18 years and upwards are required to pay the said Tax under the provisions of "School Tax Act, 1876."

e30 J. E. McMILLAN, Collector.

Memorial to the Late Sir James Douglas.

THE FAMILY OF THE LATE SIR JAMES Douglas having expressed a desire that the proposed public memorial to their deceased father should not be erected in Christ Church Cathedral, subscribers to the Memorial Window Fund can withdraw their names, and have their contributions returned upon application to the undersigned, who acted as Treasurer. WM. C. WARD.
Victoria, 4th Sept., 1877. se5

CASSIAR EXPRESS

WILL LEAVE FOR THE VARIOUS Creeks in Cassiar by every steamer for Fort Wrangel. Packages and Letters left with Wells, Fargo & Co. will be forwarded. Treasure shipped to Victoria and San Francisco.

J. JOHNSTON,
fe25 Agent for the BRITISH COLONIST.

NOTICE.

THE OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES Consul has been removed to the building occupied by Messrs. Clarke & Co., Auctioneers, opposite the American Hotel, Yates street. Office upstairs.

ALLEN FRANCIS,
au9 U. S. Consul.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE undersigned and William Sampson, carrying on business at the Post Office Saloon, Victoria, is dissolved from this date.

EUGENE CLARKE.
5th September, 1877. se6

Notices.

PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province, of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at our City of Victoria, on Thursday, the Twenty-third day of August instant, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Thursday, the Twenty-third day of August instant, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear.

NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, we have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Thursday, the Twenty-fifth day of October next, you meet Us in Our Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at our City of Victoria, and therein do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed. Witness the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this eleventh day of August in the Year of Our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and seventy-seven, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Registrar Supreme Court. au1

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Municipality of North Cowichan.

ALL OWNERS OF UNOCCUPIED OR UNimproved Lands within the Municipality of North Cowichan are hereby notified: That on the 14th day of October, 1876, a "Wild Land Tax Bylaw" passed the Municipal Council by which a Municipal Tax was imposed of five (5) cents per acre upon all such land within the Municipality, and that such tax became due on the 1st January, 1877. Copies of the Assessment Roll are posted at the Council Chambers and at the public wharf at Maple Bay; and all appeals must be made to the Warden and Council before 1st Sept. next. By order, HENRY FRY.
Clerk to the Municipal Council.
Dated at Maple Bay this 3rd day of July, 1877.
jy7

MILITARY COLLEGE, KINGSTON

SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS FOR CANdidates desiring to be admitted as cadets to the Military College will be held at the Head Quarters of Military Districts in which such candidates reside, on the 3rd July and 18th December next, (1877.)

All necessary information may be obtained upon application to the Adjutant General at Ottawa, or to the Deputy Adjutants General of Military Districts. Applications for admission must be sent to the Adjutant General not less than one month before date of examination.

By Order,
W. POWELL, Colonel.
Adjutant-General.
HEAD QUARTERS, Ottawa, 11th April, 1877. my1 1dw6m

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE;
17th August, 1877.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act, 1872," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, it is hereby notified that His Excellency has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of the "North Arm, Fraser River School District, viz:—

Commencing at North-West corner of Lot 314, Group 1; thence due North to Southern boundary of Lot 320; thence North-Westerly along the Northern boundary of Musquiam Indian Reserve to Western boundary of Lot 320, Group 1; thence due North to North-West corner of Lot 320; thence following Southern boundary of the Hastings Saw Mill timber lease to North-West corner of Lot 336, Group 1; thence due West along the Northern boundary of Lots 336 and 337 to the North-East corner of 337; thence due South to Northern boundary of Lot 330; thence due West to North-East corner of Lot 258, Group 1; thence due South along Eastern boundary of Lot 258 to North Arm of Fraser River. Then commencing at North-East corner of Section 15, Block 5 North, Range 5 West, due South, to range line between Blocks 4 and 5 North; thence following the said range line, due West, to North Arm, Fraser River, including Sea Island.

By Command, T. ELWYN,
au19 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
August 17th, 1877.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act, 1872," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, it is hereby notified that His Excellency has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of "Stanley School District," viz:—

All that tract of land included in a circle which may be described with a radius of three miles in length from the Court House, Stanley.

By Command, T. ELWYN,
au19 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
17th, August, 1877.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act, 1872," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, it is hereby notified that His Excellency has been pleased to create the tract of land enclosed within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of the "Denman Island School District," viz:—

All that tract of land known as Denman Island.

By Command, T. ELWYN,
au19 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE.

A COURT of General Assize and Gaol Delivery and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places at 11 o'clock in the forenoon on the following days, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

Richfield	Monday,	10th September
Quesnellemouth	Saturday,	15th "
Clinton	Monday,	24th "
Kamloops	Saturday,	29th "
Lytton	Friday,	5th October
Yale	Monday,	8th "
New Westminster	Wednesday,	10th "

By Command,
T. ELWYN,
Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Dated 23rd July, 1877. jy29

Assessment Act, 1876.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Tax under the provisions of the "Assessment Act, 1876," is past due, and all parties whose taxes are unpaid are hereby required to call at the Collector's Office, Columbia street, and pay the same forthwith, otherwise the amounts so due will be collected with costs.

J. C. HUGHES,
my24tjel Collector.

Carriage for Hire.

W. G. BOWMAN'S CARRIAGE will be found from this date in front of his Livery Stable on Yates street.

July 11th, 1877. jy12

Ships and Steamers.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

THE FAST SAILING BRIG

DEUX AMIS,
BOUGET, Master,

Will leave San Francisco for Victoria direct on or about the 25th inst., carrying Freight at Reduced Rates. For further particulars apply to the undersigned or to Messrs. Cills & Co., 38, California street, San Francisco. S. J. PITTS, Agent.
Sept. 8th. se9

Bark Ocean Gem, from Honolulu.

NEITHER CAPT. C. HOFFMAN NOR THE owner will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

au28 CAPT. C. HOFFMAN.

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jy5 Office, Wells, Fargo & Co

NOTICE.

McALLISTER BROS.

BEG TO INFORM OWNERS & Masters of Ships that the

POWERFUL STEAM-TUG

"Alexander"

Will be ready on or about the 15th May

To Tow Ships entering the Straits of Juan de Fuca, to and from any Port in British Columbia.

Ship masters will find it to their advantage to secure this Boat, as she is one of the most powerful vessels of the kind afloat, as well as having Double Disconnecting Engines, which is a guarantee of safety to ships in tow of her.

For terms apply on board at DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO'S Wharf.
Victoria, May 9th. my10

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Thursday, October 4th.

For Freight or Passage apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent,
je12 Office at P. McQuade & Son's.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Barque "Halton Castle," Capt. T. E. Angel, from Liverpool.

THIS VESSEL WILL DISCHARGE cargo at the Hudson Bay Company's wharf on and after Monday the 17th inst.

Consignees are requested to present Bills of Lading to the undersigned by whom, on payment of freight, delivery orders will be issued.

Goods remaining on the wharf after five o'clock p. m. each day will be at risk of consignees thereof, respectively.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees of "Halton Castle."
Victoria, B.C., 13th Sept., 1877. se14

WELLINGTON COLLIERY.

THE UNDERSIGNED ARE PREPARED to

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WELLINGTON COAL

At Their Wharves,

DEPARTURE BAY

AS HERETOFORE.

DUNSMUIR, DIGGLE & CO'Y

DEPARTURE BAY, 7th June, 1877.
je9dw

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Notices.

(Copy.)

AT a meeting of the Pilotage Authority for the Pilotage District of British Columbia, held at Victoria on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1877, the following amendments to the By-laws respecting Pilotage for the said District approved by His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the 19th February, 1877, were adopted:

I. That the following two clauses be added to By-Law No. 11.

"That the limits for speaking vessels bound into Victoria and Esquimalt Harbors, shall be at or outside a line drawn from Clover Point (skirting Brotchy Ledge Buoy) to a point in Royal Bay, bearing W. by S. ½ S. and E. by N. ½ N."

"That the limits for speaking vessels bound into Nanaimo Harbour and Departure Bay, through Fairway Channel, shall be at or outside a line drawn from Rocky Point to the north end of Lighthouse Island bearing W. by N. ½ N. and through Middle Channel at or outside a line from the North end of Lighthouse Island to Horsewell Bluff bearing S. E. by E. ½ E. and a line drawn from Sharpe Point N. E. by E. ½ E. (magnetic) to Gabriola Island."

II. That the following be substituted for Clause A of By-Law No. 12:—

(A) "For vessels entering the Pilotage District of British Columbia through Fuca Straits, and coming to an anchor in Royal Roads, the pilotage shall be free. But when the services of a Pilot are required and employed, the rate of Pilotage shall not exceed $3.00 per foot according to the following graduated scale:—

	per foot.
Inside or N. of Race Rocks to Royal Bay	75 cts.
From Beechy Head to Royal Bay	$1.00
" Callam Bay do	$2.00
" Cape Flattery do	$3.00

III. That the following be added to Clause C of By-Law No. 12:—

"In addition to the ordinary dues and irrespective of the provisions of Clause E."

IV. That the following be substituted for Clause S of By-Law No. 23:—

"For intoxication whether the same shall occur while in charge of a vessel, when required for duty or for habitual drunkenness."

V. That the following, as Clause F, be added to By-Law No. 12:—

"That steamers plying regularly, once a month or oftener, between the various ports of the United States and those of British Columbia, be included in Clause E, of section 12 of the new By-Laws, and that the same be appended to that section as soon as ratified at Ottawa, i.e. the maximum pilotage for those steamers to be $6 per foot on the inward and $6 per foot on the outward Draft, irrespective of their calling at Puget Sound on their regular trips or round voyages, but subject nevertheless to the latter part of Clause C."

(Signed,) W. R. CLARKE,
" JOHN DEVEREUX,
" COOTE M. CHAMBERS,
Commissioners.
EDGAR CROW BAKER,
Secretary.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE,

Ottawa, 9th July, 1877.

I hereby certify that the foregoing amendments to By-Laws have been approved by His Honor the Deputy of the Governor General in Council, on the sixth day of July, 1877.

J. O. COTE,
jy31 Asst. Clerk P. C.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbor, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Co; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.
House of Assembly, Victoria. my24

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIEtor of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce the same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.
SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.
Victoria, Feb. 19th, 1876. fe20tf

NOTICE.

WHEREAS by the 65th Section of the "Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1877," it is enacted that the said Act should come into operation on and after the expiration of three months notice having been given of the assent of the Lieutenant-Governor thereto in the British Columbia Gazette, which said notice shall be given within one month from the Lieutenant-Governor's assent thereto.

Public notice is hereby given that the said Act was assented to by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province on the 18th day of April last, and that the same will come into operation on and after the expiration of three months from this date.

Dated this 15th day of May, A.D. 1877.

By Command,
T. ELWYN,
my16 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Notice to Claimants of Land.

New Westminster District.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the District of New Westminster have been surveyed, and the map thereof deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Commissioner, New Westminster:—

Lots 391, 392, 393, 394, Group one (1).

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept. 8th, 1877. se9

NOTICE.

CARIBOO DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the tract of land situate on Pleasant Valley Creek, Cariboo District, and formerly held under lease granted by the Government of British Columbia to James T. Steele, is hereby reserved until further notice.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept. 15th, 1877. se16

Daily British Colonist.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 19TH, 1877.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

NOTICE.

For the accommodation of Subscribers and others, this office will be open from 10 o'clock to a quarter to 11 o'clock a. m. on Sunday.

THE WAR.

The continued successes of the Turks north of the Balkans, and the capture of Fort Nicholas in Schipka Pass by Sulieman Pasha, have astonished even those who at the outbreak of the war predicted that the Turks would fight desperately and intelligently. Ever since the incompetent man who led the Turkish armies in Bulgaria was replaced by Mehemet Ali the star of the Russians, before in the ascendant, has declined. The strategy of Mehemet Ali and his generals, though fighting under great disadvantages, has proved too much for the Russians, who must now depend on their superior numbers and unlimited supplies to wear the Turks out. The reader, in considering the possible results of the campaign, must not lose sight of the fact that for every Russian who may fall at Plevna two stand ready to take his place, and that the loss or waste of munitions is instantly replaced. In fact, a stream of men and munitions pour constantly across the pontoon bridges to reinforce the attacking forces. Within Plevna, we greatly fear, supplies are running short, and it is difficult to see whence the men are to come to fill the gaps in the ranks which shot, shell and disease are daily thinning, unless it be true that Sulieman has succeeded in forcing his way through Schipka Pass and opened that avenue to the ingress of supplies to Plevna. If Sulieman be really through the pass the Russians will be beaten back and over the Danube with terrible slaughter. But if Schipka is to remain sealed at either end by Russian guns, and if Mehemet Ali is prevented from receiving reinforcements and supplies, the struggle is narrowed down to one of endurance, and the Russians may in the long run win. Four full Russian army corps have been already used up by battle and disease; but still the food for powder is thrown against the Turkish redoubts in undiminishing quantity. Monday's dispatches told of the appearance on the scene of the Imperial guard. This guard numbers nearly 60,000 well armed men, who constitute the flower of the Russian army, and have been held in reserve until the last moment. The fighting at Plevna has now lasted twelve days. The contending forces have scarcely ceased to struggle during that long period. The fortunes of war have varied. At one time the Turks gave way before the onslaught of their enemies and three redoubts were captured by the Russians; but two of the positions were regained on the following day and the third has been rendered untenable. The evident design of the Russians is to continue the struggle in the hope of exhausting the Turks. Since their generalship has proved so faulty, the adoption of that policy is the only course that would seem to afford them the slightest chance of success.

Dear Sport.

YEWTREE FARM, Sept. 17, 1877.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Any gentleman who pretends to be a sportsman can distinguish between a calf and a deer. On or about Monday week some one shot a calf belonging to me near Lost Lake, which I found when out hunting for cattle on Thursday. It is evident that the person who shot the calf was not in want of food or he would have taken the body away with him. I am sorry to say that this is not the only calf that has been shot recently, and I beg to state for the information of the gentleman who was out shooting on Monday, and who is in the habit of shooting his own brother for deer, that the value of his own brother (the calf) is about $14; so that if he feels disposed to send the money, and the name of his ship or address, I shall be pleased to bring the remains of the carcase for the inspection of his messmates. We intend to be on the lookout for this unfortunate sportsman, and should we find him we shall try to teach him to be more humane to his own kind.

I am, etc.,
WM. TYLER.

The Responsible Party.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Extraordinary things are always taking place in this extraordinary Province. Last year an understrapper in one of the public department struck his superior officer with a stick, more properly known as a bludgeon, the superior being, so to speak, "as helpless a child." A few days after the head of the department in the Province appeared on the scene of the trouble and tried to cajole the assaulted gentleman into accepting an apology which would have been more degrading to the acceptor than to the apologist. Through the influence of somebody-in-power the matter reached the Department at Ottawa; but the friends of the abused officer poured into the department a flood of evidence that stayed for awhile the hand of him who would have perpetrated an act of tremendous injustice to an old and valued settler, an unfortunate gentleman, and one who enjoys the respect of all respectable people; but the hand of the destroyer—this somebody-in-power—was not permanently stayed. With relentless, savagery and with the connivance and assistance of one who is known for his bitter antagonism to the injured officer, he is pursuing his wicked purpose, and if Dame Rumor is true he will succeed in deposing another good officer so that a pliant tool may take his place. Already the shot is telling, and ere long another valuable and trusted officer will be compelled to give way. Just here let me utter a work of warning to this somebody-in-power. The day of retribution will follow you more quickly than you expect. No mask of hypocrisy will serve to shield you from the wrath of the people who have placed you in the position you now prostitute to your own selfish purposes. Make no mistake, Mr. Editor; it is not the Begbies nor the Boscowitzs who have pitchforked Schaffer into the position of Deputy Superintendent of Indian Affairs on the Mainland; it is the influence of nobody in Victoria that has brought about this most disgraceful appointment. It is the somebody-in-power on the Mainland, and greed and hungry thirst for riches of this world are the mainspring of his action.

One man, a good and conscientious officer, has passed away to the world beyond and has borne testimony there to the grasping disposition that so unjustly deprived him of his office here and hastened his departure hence. Do not be decieved, people of New Westminster; shoulder not the blame on Mr. Lenihan; lay not the burden on the weak, whether in body or mind. The man Schaffer could never have had the appointment without the endorsation and recommendation of the somebody-in-power in our city. Let no words of hypocrisy throw you off the scent. This somebody-in-power, if allowed to hold the power he possesses much longer, will run the Dominion Government head and ears into disgrace and cause the true friends of the Dominion in this Province to think with others that nothing good can come out of Canada.

THE WRITING ON THE WALL.
NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 15, 1877.

English Mail.

(Per steamship Dakota.)

Miss Bethia Reid, only surviving daughter of Provost Reid, of Kirkwall, has been killed in consequence of a vehicle which she was driving having been smashed against a gateway on the East road, Kirkwall. The unfortunate young lady had been out driving alone, and it was supposed the horse had bolted, as it was observed coming down the road at full gallop. It entered a narrow gateway, leaving the carriage in pieces. Miss Reid was killed on the spot.

The London correspondent of the Liverpool "Courier" writes:—The appeal of Mr. Bradlaugh and Mrs. Besant to the Court of Error against the verdict and sentence for publishing an improper book on over-population will be assisted by a statement now made by certain of the jurymen. One of them asserts that six of the jury did not consent, and did not intend to assent to the verdict of "guilty," and further alleges that before the special verdict was redered it was agreed among them that if the Lord Chief Justice would not accept the verdict in their own words, the jury should again retire and consult. Now, if this be a true statement of the opinions and intentions of the jury, and if six of them sign a deposition to that effect, it may considerably benefit the position of the defendants. Meantime, Mr. Bradlaugh is endeavouring by process in Chambers to compel the unknown prosecutor to bring in the roll of the proceedings. This being done, there will still remain a protracted system of legal action to be taken before the Court of Error can give its decision.

The following letter has been read in the House of Commons:—

"LOGIE ELPHINSTONE, Aug. 9.

"My Dear Sir Lord Stafford Northcote,—I understand that Mr. Sullivan has given notice that he will call attention on Friday next to certain passages in a speech I made at the meeting of the Garioch Farmers Club last Saturday. I also hear that Mr. Speaker has ruled that the word ruffian which I made use of on that occasion is a breach of the privileges of the House. This being so, I beg you will offer my apology to Mr. Speaker and the House for this infringement of its rules, and I beg that the House will permit me to withdraw the offensive expression, which, on consideration, I regret having made use of or applied to members of the House.

"I remain,
"Yours very faithfully,
"J. D. H. ELPHINSTONE.

Edward Potter, a clerk, aged 19, living at Woodford, is in custody at Epping on a charge of causing the death of Henry Owers, an old man of about 70, by knocking him down with a bicycle at Chigwell. The deceased, who was both mentally and physically weak, was walking along the road when the prisoner and a companion approached on bicycles down hill at the rate, according to two witnesses, of about thirteen miles an hour. They shouted out and the deceased tried to get out of the way, but he was knocked down by the prisoners bicycle, such injuries being caused to the head and brain that he was picked up speechless and died in about ten minutes.

On Monday week, in the Police Court at Teignmouth, there was a curious manifestation. A tradesman of the town, who belongs to the Baptist denomination, was called to give evidence in a case, and went into the witness-box. But when the police-sergeant put the Bible in his hand in order that he might be sworn, he seized the book, tore the cover completely off, and flung it on the floor. When asked by the Chairman what he meant by such an indecent piece of conduct, he said there was a cross upon the cover, and that "it was against his faith, for he was a Baptist, and he would not kiss a cross. He was rebuked by the magistrate.

The trial of John Elliott for misdemeanour, in having wilfully damaged a "confessional box" in St. James' church, Hatcham, came on at the Central Criminal Court. On the suggestion of the Judge Mr. Webb, churchwarden, withdrew from the prosecution, upon which the jury returned a verdict of Not Guilty, and the case was discharged.

QUICKEST TIME ON RECORD—NEW GOODS TWENTY-EIGHT DAYS FROM ENGLAND.—Brown & White have just received their first instalment of fall goods, comprising new dress goods, ulsters, silk and wool fringes, buttons in great variety, ribbons, silks, laces, nets, woolen cloths, corsets, etc., etc.

PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.—Orders left with M. W. Waitt & Co., Government street, or P.O. box 145, will be promptly attended to by Oliver H. Goodwin. 3m*

REMOVAL.—Dr. R. B. Thompson, Dentist, has removed to temporary offices in the Masonic Building, Government street.

DR. HEWES, Magnetic Healer, will be in Victoria for ten days. Office at the residence of O. C. Hastings, View street near Blanchard.

New Advertisements

Victoria Water Works.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Water will be TURNED OFF at Beaver Lake Dam THIS DAY (Wednesday) Sept. 19th, from 12 noon until 6 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of connecting the supply pipe with the new Cofferdam.
F. W. GREEN,
se19 Water Commissioner.

APOLOGY.

MR. J. T. HOWARD, Esquimalt.

HAVING WRONGFULLY PUBLISHED a statement reflecting on your character, and one likely to be injurious to your business, I hereby publicly apologise for so doing, and express my deep regret at having been a party to any such an attempt to injure your business or reputation.
WM. SELLECK.
Globe Inn, Esquimalt, Sept. 18, 1877. se19 2m

FOR SAN FRANCISCO,

CARRYING H. M. MAILS.

THE FIRST-CLASS SIDE-WHEEL S S.

DAKOTA,

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Will leave Engelhardt & Co's wharf at Esquimalt for San Francisco

On Thursday, Sept. 20th,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

All Freight and baggage for her must be on the Wharf at **Victoria** by **Wednesday Afternoon at 6 o'clock.**

For Freight or Passage apply to
ENGELHARDT & CO.,
se19 Agents.

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Take Notice!

C. J. Phillips

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FROM

Deluge Engine Co No. 1,

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FOR

ASSISTANT ENGINEER

OF THE

VICTORIA FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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BROAD STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

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Bedding of Every Description.

MIRRORS and CHAIRS

IN GREAT VARIETY,

Gilt and Walnut Mouldings (assorted sizes) Pictures framed to order, Perambulators, Patent Window Blinds (something new).

Also, manufactures Furniture & Bedding to order.
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Government St., opp. Hook & Ladder House,
Victoria, B.C. P.O. Box 248.

CUSTOM HOUSE BROKER, RENT AND Debt Collector, Deeds and Documents of every description Drawn, Copied, etc. se16 3m

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F. Neufelder & Co.

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TORONTO TOBACCO WORKS,

Have received and offer to the Trade

OLD MAN'S FAVORITE—6 and 12-inch Twist.

PERFECTION SILVER BARS—Bright and Dark Navy. jy24 3m

WHISKY.

HIGHLAND WHISKY, Rob Roy Brand

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RYE, MALT, BOURBON, TODDY

IN CASKS AND IN CASES.

ALCOHOL AND PURE SPIRITS.

SALT—Liverpool Fine Dairy Salt in 50lb bags.

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TREATS ALL KINDS OF DISEASE SUCcessfully and is duly qualified, as his Certificates will show. au24 1m

New Advertisements.

Columbia Steam MATCH FACTORY,

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING THE MOST IMproved Machinery which is capable of turning out

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Are prepared to supply the Merchants of British Columbia with a

First-class Article at less than San Francisco Prices.

☞ Orders from the Country promptly filled. Postoffice Box No. 141.

se16dw MANSON & HENDRY, Prop'rs.

NOTICE.

NEITHER CAPT. ANGEL NOR THE UNDERsigned, will be responsible for any debts incurred by the crew of the barque Halton Castle, from Liverpool. WELCH, RITHET & Co.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 15th. se16

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OFFER FOR SALE

4,000 LBS. CHOICE BUTTER

Made by Mr. C. M. BEAK, 105-Mile Post.
se16 1m

Ship "Cape Clear," from San Francisco.

NEITHER CAPT. TUPMAN NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.
Wharf st., 17th Sept., 1877. se18

SUGAR.

500 MATS STRICTLY No. 1 CHINA SUGAR.

For Sale by
J. RUEFF & CO.,
au10 1m Government St.

BY REQUEST.

A PUBLIC MEETING OF THE CITIZENS OF Victoria will be held on Thursday, the 20th September inst., at 8 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chambers, for the purpose of considering the question of a Memorial to the late Sir James Douglas, K. C. B.
M. W. T. DRAKE, Mayor.
City Council Chambers, Sept. 15th. se16

Theatre Royal.

Manager..... Mr. Frederick W. Bert.
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FOR FOUR NIGHTS ONLY.

Commencing THURSDAY, Sept'r 20th.

THE GREAT MODERN SUCCESS

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DRESS CIRCLE - - - - - - ONE DOLLAR
GALLERY - - - - - - - - 50 Cents.

Doors open at 7 p.m.; performance at 8 o'clock. Seats can be reserved at Redfern's without extra charge. se14

TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE City Clerk's office, Council Chambers, Broughton street, until 4 p.m. on Wednesday the 19th September, for the construction of a Gravel Sidewalk on the north side of Richardson street, between Vancouver and Cook streets. Sections and Specifications on the work can be seen at the City Surveyor's Office, from 10 to 4 each day.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
WILLIAM LEIGH, C.M.C.
September, 13th, 1877. se14

In the Matter of Andrew Gratton, Deceased, Intestate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL PERsons indebted or having property belonging to the estate are required to pay or deliver the same respectively to Messrs. Drake & Jackson; and all persons having claims against the Estate are required to present same on or before the 26th November prox.

Dated at Cassiar, the 31st day of August, A.D. 1877.
CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Solicitor for Henry Thibert, Administrator.
se15dw

LOVETT'S ANNUAL RAFFLE,

TO COME OFF DECEMBER 2nd, AT THE Pavilion Skating Rink.

1st Prize—A Large Diamond 5¼ carat Ring and Pin, worth $1000; the winner can take $900 in Gold Coin or Diamond. Coin will be put up at the Raffle.

2nd Prize—A very Fine Jules Gergerson Watch, Independent Second Hand. Cost $300.

Lowest Throw takes the Diamond Slide, Cost $300.

Next Lowest—A Fine Gold Hunting Watch, Stem-Winder, Cost $130.

EVERY ARTICLE PUT UP AT COST.

A Committee will be appointed on the night of the Raffle by parties concerned. Those who are not satisfied will receive their money back.

No Tickets will be considered good unless paid for previous to the Raffle. Persons abroad have the same chance with those present. Parties can Purchase Tickets through Wells, Fargo & Co's Express.

Under no circumstances will any person be bored to purchase Tickets.

Returns must be made on the 25th November, 1877

The Prizes can be seen in Mr. Rudolph's Jewelery Store.

692 CHANCES at $2 50 EACH.

se13 2p J. LOVETT.

Dig Up and Throw Away your Typhoid-Breeding Wooden Drains.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BEEN APpointed Sole Agents in British Columbia for

CLADDING & McBEAN'S

VITRIFIED STONE SEWER AND DRAIN PIPES,

Cheaper than Wood & Warranted Healthier

3-inch Bore Pipe at 20 cents per foot.

Prices for Larger Bores pro rata.
se13 W. R. CLARKE & CO.

Bayswater House.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO ANNOUNCE that they have opened the Store next (south) to Mr. Sehl's Furniture Store, Government street, with a choice assortment of

FANCY DRY GOODS.

Parties favoring them with a call will receive every attention.
se9 M. & F. GOODWIN.

Wanted.

ORGANIST

REQUIRED AT THE REFORMED EPISCOPAL Church. Application by letter with terms to be addressed to the CHURCHWARDENS, P. O. Box 170.
Victoria, Sept. 15th. se16

Wanted.

A TEACHER FOR THE BOYS' DEPARTMENT of the Victoria Public School. Salary $70 per month. Application to be sent to the Victoria School Trustees. WM. WILSON,
7th Sept., 1877. se8 Secty.

Wanted.

A RESPECTABLE COGNAC FIRM WISHES to engage the services of an able and responsible agent.

Please address offers to S. 816, care Rudolf Mosse, at Hamburg (Germany). se7

Wanted

BY A MIDDLE AGED WOMAN, LATELY arrived from San Francisco, a situation to Cook and do Washing and Ironing. Apply on Chatham street, opposite Captain Clarke's. se7

MEDICAL OFFICER WANTED.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE RESIGNAtion of Dr. McInnes, the Vancouver Coal Company require a Medical Officer.

Applications for the position may be made or sent on or before the 30th inst., to the Company's office at Nanaimo, B.C., where particulars can be obtained.
Nanaimo, B.C., 1st Sept., 1877. se6

Wanted

A GENERAL SERVANT, ONE WHO CAN cook, for the Protestant Orphans Home. Apply to MRS. CRIDGE,
se5 At R. E. Ladies' School.

Wanted.

EMPLOYMENT BY A YOUNG MAN JUST arrived from Honolulu. Has had several years' experience as engine-driver, can keep books and is willing to make himself generally useful. Outdoor work preferred. Address "C J." COLONIST OFFICE.
au22dw

Wanted.

BY A YOUNG MAN RECENTLY ARRIVED from England, employment as farm manager, or working foreman. Has had good experience in all branches connected with farming and stockraising. Address "B.A.," office of this paper. se8dw2w

Wanted.

A RESPECTABLE WOMAN TO DO LIGHT housework in the country. Situation easy and permanent. Apply by letter, stating age and references, to "A. B.," office of this paper. se2 1m

Wanted.

A RESPECTABLE MIDDLE AGED WOman wishes a situation as Sick Nurse. Apply at
au30 THE COLONIST OFFICE.

For Sale—To Let.

FOR SALE.

THREE GOOD MILCH COWS.
Apply to
J. PLEACE,
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EITHER FOR PARTNERSHIP OR TO buy out a

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For particulars apply at once to
W. HARRISON,
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To Be Let, Furnished,

FOR SEVEN OR EIGHT MONTHS FROM 1st October next, Fernhill, Esquimalt, (Residence of C. E. Pooley, Esq.,) together with about 4 acres of good Land under cultivation, kitchen garden, orchard and stable. The house is in good repair and contains drawingroom, diningroom, 4 bedrooms, nursery, kitchen, outhouses, etc. Good Wells of first-class water on the premises. For particulars apply to LD. LOWENBERG. au31

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TEN LEICESTER RAM LAMBS,
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The best breeds on the Island. Apply to
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IN BOND OR DUTY PAID.

ALE—Bass & Co's, bottled by the London and Burton Bottled Beer Company, in prime order.
CHAMPAGNE—Piper-Hiedsick, in pints & quarts.
BURGUNDY—Guidard-Potheret, extra fine.
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SHERRY—Duff-Gordon, in quarter casks.
CLARET—St. Julien.
BRANDY—Hennessy and Martell, in case & bulk.
WHISKEY—Jesse Moore & Co's Kentucky.
GIN—Red Case.
CIGARS—A large assortment of Havana

Commercial Row, Wharf Street.

Sept. 3rd, 1877. se4

Sandwich Islands

RICE AND MOLASSES,

EX BARK OCEAN GEM, FOR SALE BY
WELCH RITHET & CO.,
au21 Wharf Street.

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE UNDERsigned must be presented before the 1st October next, and all persons indebted to him are requested to make immediate payment.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 11th. CHARLES SCHAFFER.
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THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM the public that the fire on Sunday morning will not interrupt his business, and that he will be found at his post as usual.

The usual Complete Stock will be found on hand comprising:

Double and Single Barreled Breech Loaders,

MUZZLE LOADERS, PISTOLS,

Opera Glasses, Pocket Compasses,

Pocket & Sporting Cutlery, &c.

Fishing Tackle in Great Variety.

Henry Short,

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JUST RECEIVED PER STEAMER CITY of Panama,

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Kaisow & English Breakfast Congou

OF THE NEW CROP. For sale by
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REMOVAL.

Mrs. COOKE

HAS REMOVED HER DRESSMAKING establishment from Douglas to Kane street, one door west of Mr. J. Robson's residence. au24

Fire Department.

FOR

ASSISTANT ENGINEER

OF THE

VICTORIA

Fire Department,

WM. McNIFFE.

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ATTENTION, FIREMEN

JOHN STEPHENS,

Of Tiger Engine Co. No. 2,

IS A

CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION

FOR

Assistant Engineer

Of the Victoria Fire Department.
se9

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE

VICTORIA

Fire Department.

JOS. WRIGLESWORTH

— IS THE —

Unanimous Nominee of

U. H. & L. Co., No. 1,

— FOR —

CHIEF ENGINEER.

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LIST OF PROPERTY

On which Taxes have been due and unpaid for Three Years and upwards, and which will be Sold on the Fifth day of December, 1877, at the Council Chambers, Victoria, at 12 noon, in pursuance of the "Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale Bylaw, 1877," unless in the meantime the Arrears of Taxes and Costs due in respect of each lot in the Schedule hereunder written be paid.

Lot.	Block.	Amount of Taxes.	Amount of Interest	Total.	Costs.
6	12	$41 51	$11 62	$52 13	$ 4 15
½43	14	22 37	7 44	29 81	3 65
½62	23	35 00	8 40	43 40	3 70
87	26	34 56	12 12	46 68	3 82
106	12	60 75	15 48	76 20	5 30
Part 121	13	142 90	26 64	175 14	10 25
143	V	240 00	40 32	280 32	16 60
Part 178-9	1	49 00	18 24	67 24	4 36
244	27	57 50	16 80	74 30	5 25
245	27	28 00	8 40	36 40	3 88
309	11	21 60	4 80	26 40	2 80
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THOS. RUSSELL,
Assessor and Collector.
5th September, 1877. se5

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 19TH, 1877.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Sept. 18—Sch Eliza, Saanich
Bk Don Nicholas, San Francisco

CLEARED.

Sept. 18—Sch Eliza, Nanaimo
Str Grappler, Fort Wrangel

PORT OF PORT TOWNSEND.

ENTERED.

Sept. 6—Ship Leota, Tacoma
Bktn C. L Taylor, Pt Discovery
7—Bk Empress Eugenie, Pt Discovery
Bk Camden, Pt Gamble
8—Bk Vidette, San Francisco
Sch Aurora, San Francisco
9—Ship Washington Libby, Pt Blakeley.
Bk Cassandra Adams, San Francisco
10—Bk Rainier, San Francisco
12—Ship Ventus, Tacoma
Bk John Jay, Honolulu

CLEARED.

Sept. 7—Bk Empress Eugenie, San Francisco
Bk Camden, Honolulu
8—Rev. str Tiko, Corwin, Sitka
Bk Vidette, San Francisco
Sch Aurora, Pt Gamble
9—Ship Washington Libby, San Francisco
Bk Cassandra Adams, Seabeck
10—Bk Rainier, Pt Gamble
12—Bk Ventus, New York
Bk John Jay, Honolulu

Municipal Police Court.

(Before H. C. Courtney, Esq., P.M.)

TUESDAY, Sept. 19th.

Edward Woods, charged with having on the 14th day of August last, unlawfully persuaded and assisted one James Murphy, a stoker on board H. M. S. Shah, to desert; remanded for one day.

Mattie Watkins, charged with having unlawfully assaulted Martha L. Dolberry.

On the application of the defendant the case was remanded for one day.

Albert Willis, Richard Horne, Henry O'Brien, Peter Halley, on remand from the 17th inst., charged with mutiny.

Mr. McCreight, who appeared for the defence, objected to the latter part of the information, as it was general and did not give the prisoners an opportunity of answering any specific charge.

Counsel for the prosecution (Mr. Mills) not objecting the information was then altered to include only a charge of mutiny on the 23d March last.

Capt. Angel, being sworn, said he left Liverpool on the 19th March, 1877; prior to his leaving the ship was surveyed in accordance with the Plimsoll Act; the four prisoners had signed the articles produced; the names at the end of the log book are those of himself (the captain,) the chief mate, the second mate, etc.

On the 23rd March last, he was off Ushant; all hands forward came aft and refused to stow and shorten sail; he (witness) enquired the reason, and they told him they would not take in or stow another sail unless he (witness) put the ship back; at this time it was blowing a gale from W.S.W. with a heavy fog; the prisoners said the ship was not fit to go round the Horn, there was too much water around and that the gear aloft was not in order; witness asked them whether they knew the contents of the articles and the penalty they incurred by not filling the agreement; the prisoners told him they knew all about that, but would not work unless the ship was put back; they refused to stow the sails; then he (witness) told them that the fact of putting the ship back rested with his judgment; she being an iron ship and as strong as iron can make her, and in every way fitted to his own satisfaction and that even they had no complaint to make, but just to satisfy their own ideas, knocked off, and refused to do any more work; he told them to remember that it was an act of mutiny they were doing, and that if they persisted in knocking off he would have them punished as far as the law would allow, and to decide the point told them that as long as the ship, cargo, and lives were in no danger and in his command, the ship would continue on her own course unless driven back by weather; should they take his life by some underhand means, then the chief officer would take command; the prisoners then all laughed and used insulting language; he called them back and asked them whether they persisted in knocking off; they answered yes; he then told them that as long as they refused to work he would give them nothing to eat or drink, at the same time he called the steward and told him not to give the prisoners anything to eat till further orders; the prisoners then said that if he did not put the ship back, that they would put her back themselves, and also, that if he did not give them something to eat that they would take it; he warned them not to try and take what was under his command, and told all who intended to knock off to go forward; those who wanted to work were to go up and stow sail; the four prisoners went forward and the afterguard stowed the sails; about two hours afterwards Albert Willis came aft and said he was willing to work, and he then returned to his duty; at noon, gale increasing, carrying a heavy press of canvas to keep ship from driving to leeward, being only 55 miles off the French coast; at 5 p.m. same day the wind shifted to N. W.; sent chief officer forward to ask whether the men would turn to and wear ship; if they refused, to inform them that the ship was only about fifty miles from the French coast, and if the wind increased to a heavy gale the ship would go on shore unless they helped to work her off; the prisoners refused to work unless the ship was put back; witness then told the officers that they must work the ship themselves; at 8 p. m. gale and sea much increased; managed to stow fore top-sail; at midnight gale very heavy and sea breaking; the witness took the wheel for the night so that he might give the officers rest; Henry O'Brien and Richard Horne had asked him in the Bay of Biscay to give them a written statement that he would not log them or take proceedings against them when he got to Victoria; witness told them he would not give them a written statement, but that if they conducted themselves to his satisfaction, perhaps he would not take proceedings against them; had the gale continued the ship must have driven ashore, as he had not sufficient hands to work her; he considered that he had lost a week by their refusing to work; the ship is a British ship.

In answer to Mr. McCright—All the crew forward refused to work, also two aft; Louis Davis, the apprentice, and Morrice, an able seaman. The sails were in good order, her ropes and working gear were in good order; could not say whether the mate was hurt from the breaking of a rope; the vessel is 478 tons; when they left Liverpool, the cargo was properly stowed; moved part of the cargo forward; during the gale the barque shipped a great deal of water; the men said that the gear aloft was out of order; did not say that he would shoot the first man who attempted to make his escape; Brest was the nearest French port, the distance was about 65 miles.

Put a pistol to Edward Bell's head and threatened him if Bell did not allow him to put him in hours. Bell said he would not go in irons without a struggle.

George Cartisser said he was chief mate on board the barque Halton Castle; recollected the prisoners refusing to work on the 23d March; heard one of them say that if the ship was not put back by the captain they would put her back themselves. Considered the running gear, etc., all in good order to go to sea.

Frederick Roberts, second mate, corroborated the statements of the captain and chief officer, and considered the ship in every way ready for sea.

Frederick, Stafford, the cook, was also called and testified to the four prisoners having refused to work.

This finished the case for the prosecution.

Two witnesses for the defence were then called, Robert Hamley and Edward Bell, both agreeing that the running gear was old and insufficient, many of the ropes being missing; the sails themselves wanted repairing before the vessel left port; the saw in the tool chest was only fit to scrape barnacles off the ship's side; the weather after they left the Bay of Biscay was not stormy. The crew wanted the captain to put the ship into some port to get the ship put in order to go to sea; the only way they could account for their getting round the Horn safely was because the wind blew through the sails, and on account of their own and the four prisoners' good conduct.

This finished the case for the defence.

Mr. McCreight considered that it was beyond doubt that the ship was badly fitted with running gear, etc., and considering that the men only did a natural thing in wishing to have the ship put into some port to get her fitted, therefore he was of opinion that the men could not be punished for what they had done.

Mr. Mills considered that as the ship had been surveyed in Liverpool under the Plimsoll Act it was not the business of these men to go and say that she was unfit for sea. The officers considered her in every way ready for sea.

His Honor considered that these men had undoubtedly disobeyed the captain's orders; he thought it a mercy that the ship had arrived here safe; had she been lost no one but the prisoners would have been responsible. If the sails were bad then all the more should they have done their duty. His Honor then sentenced the prisoners to 4 weeks' imprisonment each, and if the captain should require them they will then be taken down on board.

The Court adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

San Francisco Stock Market.

(Exclusive Dispatch to the Colonist.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 18.—Ophir 16¼; Mex 10; G & C 8¾; B & B 18¼; Cala 27; Savage 7⅛; Chollar 35; H & N 6¼; Con Va 31¾; Point 3.80; Belcher 6⅛; S Nev 4¼; Kentuck 5¾; Alpha 12¾; Jacket 9⅛; Imperial 85c; Utah 11⅜; Bullion 7⅞; Union 5½; Julia 2.35; Caledonia 3.75; Overman 23¾; Justice 15¼; S Belcher 39; Exchequer 8½.

DIABOLICAL PLAN.—Since publishing that H. L. Sutton had planned to escape, and that he wanted Mr. Pontifract to assist him in overpowering the jailor and thrusting him into the cell occupied by the two, we have been credibly informed that the plan no doubt was that Pontifract was to hold the jailor while Sutton would cut his throat. This Pontifract openly charged Sutton with in the course of their row, but afterwards denied. It is now firmly believed by those who heard the statement of Pontifract that it really was a part of Mr. Sutton's plan to kill the jailer. Doubtless his desire to escape is none the less since the verdict yesterday in court pronouncing his offence murder in the first degree.—*P. T. Argus.*

EXPLORATION.—Mr. Eberts, who accompanied Mr. Cambie in his recent tour of exploration, goes upon the steamer Grappler with a small party, for the purpose of making an examination of Work Channel, northwest of Skeenamouth, with a view to ascertaining whether it does not present greater facilities of approach to the sea than the Skeena river has been found to do. It is to be hoped that this may prove to be the last of those wild far-north expeditions, which are consuming so much valuable time and money and perplexing the public mind.

OFFICE OPENED.—We notice that Mr. W. K. Bull has opened an office on Government street adjoining the Theatre where, in connection with his duties as collector of license fee from commercial travellers, he will collect rents, debts, have a labor exchange for those seeking situations or help, and, in short, a general agency.

REAR ADMIRAL DEHORSEY will sail to day in H. M. gunvessel Rocket, Captain Harris, for Nanaimo, Seymour Narrows and Burrard Inlet. It is understood that Admiral DeHorsey will examine the Narrows and Burrard Inlet in connection with the selection of the western terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

GOVERNMENT ASSAY OFFICE.—We understand that the position of Government assayer at Barkerville, made vacant by the death of Mr. Hitchcock, will not be filled—the staff connected with the office being deemed sufficient to discharge all the duties of the office.

MORE EXPERTS COMING.—We hear that several quartz mining experts, attracted by the excellent prospects from the Cariboo quartz lodes, will shortly visit the Province for the purpose of examining its mineral resources.

THE steamer Enterprise left at 7:30 a.m. yesterday with the mails, a good freight and the following passengers:—Mrs. Hail, Miss Pollard, Mrs. McDonough, and Messrs. C. Schaffer, R. R. Munro, and several others.

THE WATER SUPPLY.—The pressure for the past two or three days has been very light and on Monday (washing day, of all others) the water was shut entirely off.

NEW MUSIC.—"Hit him Again, He's got no Friends;" "Speak to Me;" and "I watch for Thee in Stainless Night," are amongst the latest publications by M. Gray & Co., San Francisco and Portland.

Public Dinner to ex-Consul Eckstien—A Grand Affair.

Last evening a large number of gentlemen, comprising representatives of every nationality resident in Victoria, sat down at the St. George Hotel to tables spread with the good things of this life, to show by their presence their appreciation of David Eckstien, Esq., the amiable and worthy gentleman who for the past seven years has efficiently discharged the duties of American Consul at this port. The Chair was filled by His Worship Mayor Drake, and the Vice-Chair by Hon. A. C. Elliott, Premier of the Province. The guest of the evening occupied a chair on the right of the Chairman. On either side of the guest the British and American flags were fraternally intertwined. The dining-hall of the St. George was profusely decorated with flags and banners for the occasion, and the tables were the most appropriately and beautifully dressed of any ever set in the Province. Gentle Flora had contributed her choicest offerings, and the air was redolent with the sweet "perfume of a thousand flowers," which rose from exquisitely made boquets, and graceful wreaths and festoons from the epergnes, glasses and chandeliers. U. S. Consul Francis was absent on account of sickness in his family. The viands and wines were of the choicest descriptions, and were heartily enjoyed by the guests, who are loud in their praise of the enterprising and obliging host Jacobs. We append the

MENU:

Soups—Mock turtle, oyster.

Fish—Salmon, sauce, mayonnaise, soles aut pompadour.

Entrees—Giblets, vol au vent, cotelette de veau, en papillottes, galantine of chicken, jelly sauce, chicken salad, buffalo tongues.

Roasts—Ribs of beef, saddle of mutton, goose, apple sauce, turkey, force aux truffes, cramberry sauce, tame ducks, chicken, galantine of chicken with jelly.

Game—Grouse, partridges, ducks.

Salads—Olives, pickles, sauces, shrimps, anchovies, sardines, cucumbers, crab salad.

Vegetables—Potatoes, baked, boiled and mashed, asparagus, cauliflower, string beans, green peas, tomatoes.

Puddings—Virginia, cocoanut.

Pies—Plum, raspberry, peach.

Jellies—Blancmange, Roman cream, wine jelly, cream a la Milanaise.

Cakes—Maccaroni, pompadour a creme, jelly cake, ladies' fingers, almond tarts, Marengos.

Fruit—Apples, pears, peaches, grapes, plums, nuts, bananas, oranges.

Wines—Champagne, V. Cliquot, sherry, Duff, Goron's, port, Paye's Old, claret. Margaux, chablis, Sautern, brandy, whisky.

Cigars—La Paz de China.

Cafe noir, Rosse Cafe, Liqueurs.

Ample justice having been done to the excellent dinner, His Worship the Mayor proposed "Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen" which was drank amid loud cheers. Hon. A. C. Elliott proposed the health of "the President of the United States," which was also drank enthusiastically.

Senator McDonald, who proposed the "Government of British Columbia," said that on the present occasion the company were assembled to honor to the guest of the evening and that he was not supposed to touch upon politics; but he could not avoid saying that the good nature with which the community had submitted to be taxed by the present Government to pay off the debts incurred by a previous one was the best sign that could be wished for of their popularity. At the same time he thought they had better not try the patience of British Columbia to far, and concluded by wishing the Government health and prosperity and a long tenure of office.

Hon. Mr. Elliott responded in a humorous speech, finally returning thanks in the name of taxpayers generally and also for himself and the other members of the Government, sitting down amidst long and continued applause and laughter

The Chairman then proposed the health of the guest of the evening, speaking in the strongest terms of the courtesy which had characterized his conduct during his term of office, which had facilitated all business transactions in which he had been engaged (hear, hear.) He had displayed the greatest tact in settling many delicate questions which had arisen, and his conduct had drawn closer the bonds of friendship which had happily existed up to the present time between us and the United States, and which he hoped to see drawn closer yet. The toast was drank amidst loud cheers and music "For he's a jolly good fellow."

Mr. Eckstien responded in a few well chosen words. He alluded to the generous manner in which he had ever been treated by the people of the Province, and the great honor which had been shown him in the present demonstration. He was afraid he was not worthy of all the kindness that had been shown him (cries of "yes, yes,"). When he landed here seven years ago he had resolved to regard the division line of the Straits of Fuca as a physical rather than a natural one, and to treat all who came before him with strict justice without regard to nationality. In conclusion he expressed his opinion that bright days were in store for the Province (cheers), and assured the company that he would always have a good word to say of British Columbia (cheers).

Senator Carrall proposed the health of Hon. A. Francis, present U. S. Consul. "Home Again."

A letter was read from Mr. Francis, regretting his inability to be present in consequence of illness in his family.

Mr. Edgar Marvin and Mr. Eckstien responded on behalf of Mr. Francis.

Mr. A. Rome proposed the health of the Vice Consul, D. Kurtz, Esq.

Mr. Kurtz responded briefly and eloquently.

Mr. J. P. Davies proposed the health of the Mayor and Corporation of the City of Victoria, eulogizing the present Chief Magistrate and Councillors.

The Mayor and Councillor Finlayson responded.

Mr. McCreight proposed "Our Representatives in the Senate."

Senators Macdonald and Carrall replied.

Captain Layton proposed "The Army and Navy;" Col. Powell responded on behalf of the Army, and Capt. Raymur on behalf of the Navy.

Mr. W. Wilson proposed "The Press," in a characteristically captious strain, to which there was, very properly, scarcely a response.

Mr. J. McB. Smith proposed the health of "All Foreign Residents in British Columbia."

Mr. J. P. Goodhue and Mr. M. T. Johnston replied in a few words.

Mr. E Neufelder proposed the health of "The Ladies" in a few very appropriate remarks.

Mr. Wm. Pollard, Mr. Eckstien, Mr. Findlay and Mr. Bennett responded.

Mr. Eckstein then proposed the health of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman.

Mayor Drake, in returning thanks, thought it a great privilege to have presided, regretting if any of his remarks had hurt anyone's feelings.

Mr. Elliott said he was not prepared for the toast, but referring to Mayor Drake's remarks he considered that next to England come the Stars and Stripes. He considered that if this country changed flags that it would be a loss to the States, for he had no doubt whatever that this country had a beneficial moral effect on the Pacific Coast. Referring to Mr. Eckstein he made several most happy remarks.

After a few impromptu toasts the company separated.

ROYAL HOSPITAL.—The above institution continues to carry on unobtrusively its good work of taking care of the destitute sick, and the demands upon its assistance are, at this season of the year, invariably heavy. The addition of a ward expressly for the use of fever patients is becoming more and more pressing and must have attention. It is hoped that the public will readily respond to a call for contributions, and with a number of H. M ships at Esquimalt some assistance may possibly be obtained from a dramatic performance by the officers, who are always ready to assist a genuine work of benevolence. We are assured that the Theatre can be had free of charge for the purpose. There must be dramatic talent of a high order to be found among so large a number of officers, and we trust our mention of the hospital needs may bring it to the front.

FROM THE OKOTSCH SEA.—The schooner Pato, Capt. J. Slocum, arrived from Okotsch Sea last evening with 23,000 codfish. The Pato left Manila on 3rd March last for San Francisco *via* Victoria, but owing to heavy gales was obliged to put into Hongkong for repairs. She then proceeded to Pretropauloski, where she procured a quantity of salt and sailed for Okotsch Sea on a fishing expedition leaving there with her present cargo. She left the barkentine Fremont with 200,000 codfish on board for San Francisco, which will be the largest cargo ever imported there. The Pato was built at Manilla on lines patented in England by a Mr. Jackson, and for which he obtained the medal at the Centennial. The people of Pertropauloski are nearly all ill, and the Russian Government have sent out medical men with medicines to attend them.

BARQUE CAPE CLEAR.—A survey was held yesterday of the damage done to the barque Cape Clear, by the following:—R. Finlayson, Esq., (Lloyd's agent), Capt. Nagle (harbormaster), Capt. Angel (master of barque Halton Castle), and Mr. Walker, ship carpenter. The surveyors will hand in their report to-day.

THE steamer Cariboo-Fly left at 7 a.m. yesterday with the mails and the following passengers: Mr. and Mrs. Dunsmuir, Mrs. D. Davis, Mrs. Prothero, Mrs. and Miss Mayer, Mrs. Reid, Messrs. Mills, J. Pimbury, J. Mahoney and several others.

THE TRIUMPH.—Our exclusive London dispatch states that H.M.S. Triumph, a large ironclad, will be sent out to relieve the Shah on the Pacific.

A SAILING MATCH took place at Esquimalt yesterday afternoon for a purse of $10 between the boats "Sophia," "Sea Gull" and "Tommy Dod," the "Sophia" winning easily.

THE steamer Grappler left last evening at 6 o'clock for Fort Simpson and Wrangel with a few passengers and about 50 tons of freight.

THE steamship Constitution will take in 500 tons of coal at Esquimalt, instead of loading at Nanaimo.

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Morning Dispatch.

EASTERN STATES.

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—The 'Tribune's' New York special says Stanley's letters are dated Embetion, Congo river, Aug. 10th. After a terrible journey through that part of the African continent, Stanley and his followers pushed across the country to the Lualaba; thence along the left bank of the river, passing through northeast Uskusa. He was opposed at every step by hostile cannibals who filled the woods and poured flights of poisoned arrows on his party, killing and fatally wounding many of his men. Heavily laden bearers fell dead under their loads. There was no cessation of fighting day or night. All efforts to appease the savages were unavailing. They would listen to no overtures, disregarded signals of friendship, and refused gifts There was only one way to escape, except Stanley accepted alternative of returning to Nyagwo and abandoning the work he had undertaken. This was to use canoes. With good canoes for his party, Stanley concluded that he would advance with a better prospect of success He found each day's advance a repetition of the previous day's struggle. It was desperate fighting throughout. While pushing down the river he was interrupted by a series of cataracts just north and south of the equator. In order to pass these he had to cut his way through 13 miles of dense forest and drag his eighteen canoes overland. Three days later he came to the country of a powerful tribe, whose warriors were armed with muskets. No sooner did the natives discover Stanley's approach than they manned fifty-four large canoes and put off from the river bank to attack him. He offered peace gifts, but the savyges refused to be reconciled and the fight went on for twelve miles down the river. It was maintained by Stanley's followers with great courage, and was the last, save one, of thirty-two battles since the expedition left Nyango. The Explorer writes: 'I make the expedition from Boma by steamer to Calenda and proceed thence to St. Paul Discandi.'

Afternoon Dispatch.

EUROPE.

BERLIN, Sept. 15.—The "National Gazette" most positively denies that Germany in any way influenced Servia and Roumania to participate in the war.

BELGRADE, Sept. 17.—Servian reports publishes official intelligence that the regular army has not gone to the frontier but returned to its quarters after completing usual annual manœuvres.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 17.—Suleiman Pasha telegraphs that one of his columns defeated a detachment of Russians and Bulgarians in Hainboghaz Pass.

BUCHAREST, Sept. 17.—The Russian army from Poland begins its passage through Roumania to day.

PARIS, Sept. 17.—The manifesto of electors to be issued by President MacMahon was read at to-day's cabinet council.

PARIS, Sept. 17.—M. Grevy has written a letter declaring the statement that he refused the republican leadership a calumny.

The trial of Gambetta on appeal is fixed for Saturday.

Duke de Cases at Lebourne on Sunday made an important speech evidently intended as a contradiction of the reports that the Cabinet would endeavor to distract attention from home affairs by an aggressive foreign policy. He said, "I can affirm there is not a single power which doubts the sincerity of the president's pacific sentiments which are shared by the whole of France. All the powers are aware that the government would refuse with the utmost energy to assert itself with a propaganda, from whatever quarter it might come which might be a source of trouble or danger to our neighbors.

VIENNA, Sept. 18.—It is reported the that Gen. Todleben, the defender of Sebastopol, has received orders to prepare plans for fortifying the winter camps at Matchin, Herzegova, Sistova, and Nikopolis. If it comes to the worst Nikopolis where a strong bridge is to be established will be held at all hazards. All fresh troops meanwhile are directed to the Kantra line.

BUCHAREST, Sept. 17.—The Russians at Plevna are moving up mortars and siege guns and receiving reinforcements of infantry.

CETTINGE, Sept. 17.—In consequence of the surrender of Bilek the Turks must bring all their supplies by way of Klek as Bilek entirely commands the road from Ragusa to all the interior of southern Herzegovina.

ATHENS, Sept. 17.—The King has returned to Athens to confer with his ministers about their resignations consequent upon the death of M. Canaris.

PARIS, Sept. 17.—Gambetta and Murat gave notice to-day of appeal from their recent sentence. This notice having only been given after the full legal interval shows that the accused intend to protract the proceedings.

Baron Haussmann, announces that his candidacy for Ajaccio has received the official approbation government.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—Fort St. Nicholas captured by the Turks is said to be the key of the Russian position in Schipka Pass and to command other Russian works. Gen. Rodizoky, Russian commander, is supposed to have 25,000 men and Suleiman Pasha 4,000.

Peremptory orders have been received at Portsmouth for the iron-armour plated steamships Triumph and Hercules to be got ready for sea by the 30th October. It is expected the Triumph will relieve the Shah in the Pacific.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—The "Times'" London special says that unless there is special interposition of Providence the Russian invasion of Bulgaria is substantially at an end. Henceforth the defensive movements will be directed to escape annihilation.. England is uneasy fearing that another campaign will involve Germany. Efforts will be made to induce the Porte to offer fair terms of peace, but the enterprise is probably hopeless. Russia after all her appalling losses will be forced to commence another campaign where it began the present season.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—It is reported two Russian gunboats in Kilia, mouth of Danube, were attacked by a Turkish ironclad and one gunboat was so badly injured that she had to be destroyed.

PARIS, Sept. 18.—The *Temps* states that Prince Louis Napoleon will arrive to day at Chateau de Deau in the province of Namur, Belgium, on a visit to Duc de Fernan. He will remain there under pretext of hunting.

The *Daily News'* Paris correspondent says his coming so near the French frontier during an electional period is causing remark.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—Special edition of *Globe* has a Pera dispatch saying news was received at the English embassy that Suliman Pasha carried the remaining Russian positions in Shipka Pass this morning inflicting enormous losses. Defile is now entirely in the possession of the Turks.

INDIA.

LONDON, Sept. 17.—Official telegrams from the Viceroy of India reports favourably concerning most of the districts of Bengal, Madras, Mysore, the Central Provinces and particularly Bombay, where there has been a favourable rain. Almost everywhere the autumn crops have revived and most of them are saved. Winter crops are progressing. Prices, however, continue very high and the distress among the poor is severe. Prospects in Gwalior are bad.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 18.—Wheat—Shipping $2.35@$2 37½; milling, $2 40 @ $2.42½. Barley—Feed, $1.60@$1 65; Potatoes, 1¼@2c. All other quotations unchanged.

Auction Sales

AUCTION SALE

J. P. Davies & Co.

Will sell by Public Auction at the

Palace Hotel, corner Yates and Douglas streets,

By order of Messrs. James, Walker & Co

—ON—

Tuesday, Sept. 25th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

ALL THE EFFECTS IN SAID HOTEL,

Comprising Walnut, Maple and Mahogany bedsteads, bureaus, washstands, tables, chairs, looking-glasses, engravings, pulu, spring and hair beds, mattrasses, pillows, blankets, sheets, counterpanes, chamber sets, lace curtains, C.O. lamps, wardrobes, cornices, Brussels carpets contained in

ELEVEN BEDROOMS.

Also, WINES and LIQUORS in wood and bottle, Liqueurs,

FINE BOURBON WHISKEY,

Cigars, Looking-glass, Bar Fixtures, Oilcloth, Counter, Chandelier, choice Engravings and Glassware.

ALSO—Hall and stair carpet, rods, sewing machine, lounges, whatnot, Brussels carpets,

HANDSOME BRONZE CLOCK,

Sideboard, fine engravings, hearthrugs, gasfittings, astral lamps, ornaments, cabinet sewing machine, tables, chairs, parlor stoves, extension chairs,

DININGROOM FURNITURE,

Crockery, glassware, silver-plated ware, table cutlery, and a full assortment of

KITCHEN FURNITURE,

Extension Back Iron-clad Cook Range, with fittings complete.

☞ The Auctioneers call the attention of intending buyers to the above sale. Most of the articles have been purchased within the past two months, two-thirds of them have never been used, the whole of which can be purchased at Private Sale.

For particulars apply to

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se16 Auctioneers

AUCTION SALE

J. P. Davies & Co.

Will sell by Public Auction, at Salesroom, Wharf street,

Thursday, Sept. 27, 1877,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

The Complete Machinery, Engines and Boilers,

Including Donkey Engine, Force Pump and Wheel Shaft of the Steamer Hope.

The BOILERS are nearly new, having been in use but about two months.

Full inventory will be given at time of sale.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se16 Auctioneers.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

J. P. Davies & Co.

Will sell on arrival of BARK MARMION

11 Crates of

ENGLISH EARTHENWARE,

Consisting of handled and unhandled London and Irish Teas, Ewers, Basins, covered Chambers, Soap & Brush Trays, Mugs, Vases, Teapots, Creams, Sugars, Dishes, Bakers, Vegetable Dishes, Twifflers, Soups, etc.

ALSO,

38 casks Assorted GLASSWARE.

Plain fluted and star goblets, 3rd pint and fluted ale glasses, bar tumblers, cobblers, soda tumblers, lager glasses opal sets and syrup jugs.

Lamp Chimnies.

No. 10 Wood Seat Chairs in cases,

ALSO,

200 28lb kegs WHITE LEAD,

55 boxes Chemical Olive SOAP,

FURNITURE.

Bedsteads, Chairs, Washstands, Sideboards

Tobacco.

2 Boxes TOBACCO.

Particulars hereafter.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se15 Auctioneers.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

The undersigned have received instructions from

Mr. C. Schaffer

To sell at his residence, Kane street, all his new and well-kept

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

Comprising:

Splendid Drawingroom, Diningroom and Bedroom Sets,

FINE PIANO,

Choice Engravings, a lot of well-selected Music, &c., &c.

ALSO—One Splendid Violin by Steiner, made in 1763.

MUSIC—Operas for Piano, songs, solos and duetts, with Piano accompaniments. Names of all music will appear in Auctioneer's Catalogue.

The sale will take place between the 20th and 25th inst. Particulars in a few days.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
se14 Auctioneers.

Educational.

YOUNG LADIES' DAY SCHOOL,
KANE STREET, VICTORIA.

MRS. BUSHELL RESPECTFULLY ANnounces that she will commence giving instruction in the various branches of education on Monday, September 24th.
Boys from Six years to Ten.
Instruction on the Pianoforte as usual.
For particulars apply to MRS. BUSHELL.
se16

The Grammar School
AT THE R. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL HOUSE will recommence Wednesday, August 1st.
jy31 J. F. SMITH, Master.

EDUCATION.
CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE been commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra sts., by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.
A class for boys under 8 years of age has also been formed. For particulars apply to
ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

ANGELA COLLEGE,
VICTORIA.

FOR THE EDUCATION OF YOUNG LAdies, Boarders and Day Pupils.
VISITOR—THE LORD BISHOP OF COLUMBIA.
LADY PRINCIPAL - - - MISS PERCEVAL
ASSISTA - - - - - MISS WRIGHT
MATRON & AS STANT TEACHER—MRS. C. WARD
The College Reopens Aug. 9th, 1877.
Application for admission to be made to
MISS PERCEVAL,
jy22 2m Angela College, Victoria.

YOUNG LADIES'
BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL,
FAIRFIELD TERRACE, TOP OF FORT ST.,
VICTORIA, B. C.

THIS SCHOOL, ESTABLISHED IN 1858, will re-open on Monday the 16th July, 1877 for the reception of Boarding and Day Scholars.
French included in the tuition.
jy10dw1m MADAME PETIBEAU, Principal.

St. Ann's Convent Schools
View and Humboldt Streets.

THE ABOVE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUtions will reopen, both on View and Humboldt streets, on the 3rd September at 9 a.m. au26td

St. Louis College,
Pandora Street.

THE ABOVE INSTITUTION WILL REopen on the 3rd of September at 9 a.m.
au26tt

Insurance.

Fire Insurance
The Scottish Commercial
INSURANCE COMPANY
Capital £2,000,000, Sterling.

Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
General Agents for British Columbia.
se4

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY,
ESTABLISHED, 1809.
CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING,
Accumulated Funds - - £3,286,126,
LOSSES SETTLED WITH PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY.
T. ALLSOP & CO., Agents,
se4 Government street.

MARINE INSURANCE.
The Union Insurance Co.
OF SAN FRANCISCO,
ASSETS OVER $1,000,000.

FOR INSURING MERCHANDISE, TREAsure, Commissions, Profits, &c.
Insurances Accepted under English or San Francisco Conditions.
For information, Rates of Premium, &c., apply to
STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
AGENTS.
WHARF STREET, Victoria. ap4

Imperial Fire Insurance
COMPANY.
1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall,
LONDON,
Instituted, 1803.
FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by Fire.
Subscribed and Invested Capital--One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.
Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
Agents for British Columbia
my10 And Washington Territory.

FREDERICK REYNOLDS
FAMILY
BUTCHER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Meats and Vegetables,
PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.
Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch
Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.
mh10 LONDON MARKET

CONSTANTINOPLE MARKET,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
Opp. Metropolitan Restaurant.

FRUIT & VEGETABLES, GAME of all kinds, Fish, etc., constantly on hand and
au25 Warranted Fresh.

New Advertisements.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
Of the City of Victoria as at 31st July, 1877, and Estimated to 31st December, 1877.

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Outstanding Liabilities and Current Expenses to 31st Decem r, 1877, viz:—		Amount of Revenue available for meeting Liabilities and Current Expenses:—	
W. P. Sayward	$ 1,264 24	Bank B. N. A., Cr. Balance	$ 2,058
Henry Rhodes & Co	1,677 04	Balance of Revenue to be Collected	29,197 60
Thomas Preece	2,278 85	Balance	8,650 39
Extension of Mains	6,600 00		
Coffer Dam Gate and Ditch	2,220 00		
Arbitration Claims and Expenses (Est'd.)	3,000 00		
Actual Current Expenses from 31st July to 31st Dec., 1877	9,478 00		
Interest and Sinking Fund	8,138 00		
Claim, Andrew Astrico	2,500 00		
Men's Labor on the Streets, etc	750 00		
Provincial Gove nment, their proportion of the Wholesale and Retail Liquor Licenses to 31st Dec., 1877	2,000 00		
	$39,906 13		$39,906 13
Balance being probable defict at end of the year	$ 8,650 39		

MEMO:—In the above Estimates nothing has been allowed for Contingencies or Street Improvements.

R. FINLAYSON,
J. H. TURNER, } Finance Committee.
C. E. REDFERN,
se9

POST OFFICE NOTICE.
Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.
Summer Arrangements from 1st April to 30th September, 1877.

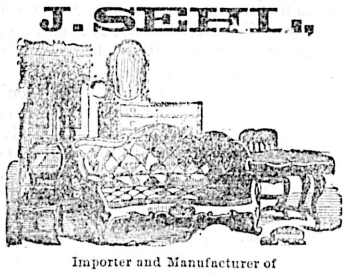
MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 3d, 13th, and 23d of each Month	On the 10th, 20th, & 30th of each month, at 10 A.M.
Do. via Tacoma	Monday and Thursday 3 P.M	Monday and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from Ap'l 25.
China and Japan	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco on 1st of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast.	Irregular dates of arrival...	On the 10th 20th & 30th of each month at 10 A.M.
New Westminster & Burrard Inlet.	Wednesday and Saturday at 3 P.M.	Monday and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday 3 P.M	Thursday at 6 P.M.
Nanaimo and intermediate offices.	Thursday at 5 P.M	Monday at 6 P.M.
Comox and intermediate offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.	Daily, at 11:30 A. M. and 4:30 P. M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P. M	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Wednesday, 9 A. M	Wednesday, 12 M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS
Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland, and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.
OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon
R. WALLACE, Post Office Inspector.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1876. my5

SUGAR!
CARGO OF THE
Schooner UNA from Peru,
CONSISTING OF ABOUT 250 TONS CHOICE
PERUVIAN SUGAR!
Selected Expressly for this Market.
For Sale in Lots to Suit by
R. CARR,
jy28 Wharf Street.

J. SEHL,



Importer and Manufacturer of
FURNITURE,
In every variety, has just received at a Low Rat of Freight, direct from Eastern Manufacturers, the largest and best assortment of
Walnut, Parlor and Bedroom Suites,
EXTENSION & CENTRE TABLES,
Wardrobes, Desks,
PIER AND MANTLE MIRRORS
Of the Finest Description, all of the Latest Styles, which I am enabled to sell at LOWER PRICES than ever offered in the Province.
An inspection of the Goods and Prices will satisfy you of the fact.
SOLID WALNUT BEDROOM SUITES from $70 upward.
CHAIRS from 50 cents upward.
ALSO—Just received a fine
COLLECTION OF PICTURES,
Consisting of Steel and Mezzotint Engravings, Oleographs, Chromos, Photos and Lithographs,
Walnut, Rosewood and Rustic Frames and Mouldings,
Carved Brackets,
Cornices Window Blinds,
China and Cocoa Matting,
Carpets, Door Mats.
REVERSIBLE PERAMBULATORS,
Spring, Hair, Patent Curled Wool, Eureka and other MATTRESSES made to order by a first-class Upholsterer,
Carpets Sewed and Laid.
Everything warranted as represented.
Goods delivered to any part of the city Free of Charge. no12

Dominion Covernment
SAVINGS BANK.
DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO present their PASS BOOKS at the office in Government street, as early as it may be convenient, for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th of June, 1877.
JOHN GRAHAM,
Manager.
VICTORIA, B.C., Aug. 18, 1877. au19

SMOKERS
WE HAVE AGAIN TO CALL YOUR ATtention to the numerous
IMITATIONS OF THE JUSTLY CELEBRATED
MYRTLE
Navy Tobacco!
DON'T BE DECEIVED. THE STAMP
T & B
In Gilt Letters is on Each Plug of the Genuine.
FOR SALE BY J. H. TODD,
Sole Agent for B. C.
VICTORIA, July 28, 1877. jy29dw2m

"QUARTZ ACT, 1877."
THE SUM OF FIFTEEN THOUSAND Dollars will be paid by the Government of British Columbia to "The Company which first erects, at some place north of the Quesnelle River within the Electoral District of Cariboo and in the neighborhood of some well defined Quartz Ledge, a good and sufficient Ten Stamp Quartz Mill capable of crushing ten tons of Quartz per diem, to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council," in accordance with the provisions of the "Quartz Act, 1877."
By Order,
T ELWYN,
Deputy Minister of Mines.
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
31st May, 1877. je1

GARESCHE, GREEN & CO'Y.
BANKERS,
Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED IN GOLD, SILVER and U. S. Currency. Interest paid on the same on time deposits.
GOLD DUST & U. S. CURRENCY
PURCHASED AT HIGHEST MARKET RATES.
Sight Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers on San Francisco, New York and Canada.
EXCHANGE on LONDON
Available in all parts of Europe, England, Ireland and Scotland.
LETTERS of CREDIT
Issued on the Principal Cities of the United States, Canada and Europe.
AGENTS FOR WELLS, FARGO & CO.
jy8

To Butchers, Farmers, &c.
HIDES.
THE FOLLOWING RATES WILL BE PAID by the undersigned for Hides in good order:
Wet Salted Hides 7½ cts. per lb.
Dry Hides 13 cts. per lb.
Delivered on the Wharf at Victoria.
W. HEATHORN.
au21 Victoria Boot and Shoe Manufactory.

New Advertisements.

NEW GOODS
HENRY SHORT,
Gun & Rifle Maker,
FORT ST., opp. Scotch House.
Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of
DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,
Central Fire Breech-Loaders,
FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,
Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.
GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED
mh11

GOODACRE & DOOLEY,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
BUTCHERS,
S. E. Cor. of Government & Johnson Streets,
PURVEYORS BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT TO
THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE EARL & COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN, AND HIS HONOR THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.

The Largest and Choicest Assortment of
ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF MEAT, VEGETABLES AND STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
The same Supplied to Families, Restaurants, Ships and Steamers at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.
QUEEN'S MARKET, VICTORIA, V. I.
jy12

PHELPS, WADLEIGH & CO.
Wholesale and Retail
BUTCHERS
Brick Building N. W. Corner of Yates and Broad Streets, Victoria, B. C.
YOUR FAVORS SOLICITED.
VICTORIA, Sept. 17, 1875 my5

NOTICE.
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE
HAVING DETERMINED TO
Relinquish the Dry Goods Trade,
OFFER FOR SALE THEIR STOCK OF
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING
HOSIERY, HATS, CAPS, ETC.,
At Greatly Reduced Prices.
BY WHOLESALE ONLY.
WHARF STREET, Sept. 1st, 1877. se2 1m

FRESH GOODS,
NEW STYLES!
H. MANSELL
Has received LARGE ADDITIONS to his already
Well Selected Stock of
BOOTS & SHOES,

Which he offers at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.
Boots Made to Order. Repairing Neatly Done.
Country Orders promptly attended to.
Government Street, Victoria, opp. the Postoffice.
jy20

REMOVAL
Mr. John Teague,
ARCHITECT,
Has removed his office to
Government Street, below Fort, opposite the Hook & Ladder House.
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JAMES SYME,
ARCHITECT
MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.,
jc3 1m VICTORIA, B. C.

Royal Mail Stage,
Between Victoria and Esquimalt,
ON AND AFTER APRIL 1st.
Leaves Victoria for Esquimalt at 8 and 11½ a. m and 4½ p.m.
Leaves Esquimalt for Victoria at 9½ a. m. and 1½ and 5½ p.m.
Fare, 25 Cents.
Parcels left at W. J. Jeffree's clothing store will be promptly delivered.
mh27 JOHN PORTER, Proprietor.

Hotels, Saloons, &c.

DOMINION HOUSE
YATES STREET, NEAR BLANCHARD,
One of the Pleasantest Locations in Victoria.

THIS HOUSE HAS BEEN REFITTED AND Refurnished from top to bottom, and is now one of the most comfortable hotels in Victoria.
Excellent Accommodation is offered to Families and others.
Board and Lodging $6 per Week and Upwards.

Bed and Board per Day	$1 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

se15 S. JONES, Proprietor.

PALACE SALOON,
YATES STREET, VICTORIA,
Opposite Barnard's Express Office.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO ANNOUNCE to their numerous friends and patrons that they will be happy to see them from this date. The Bar has been supplied with the
Best Brands of Wines and Spirits
The market can produce.
se15 1m JACKSON & WHITE.

The Douglas House.
THE SUBSCRIBER BEGS TO ANNOUNCE that he has leased the beautiful and commodious premises, lately the residence of Senator Macdonald, at the corner of Gordon and Courtenay Sts., opposite the Presbyterian Church, and has fitted and furnished them as a
Private Hotel and Boarding House.
The rooms are cheerful and sunny, the grounds are an acre in extent and no effort will be spared to make the establishment the most popular Hotel in Victoria.
Travelers and others will find excellent accommodation at this Hotel.
Board, with or without Lodging.
FRANK G. RICHARDS.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 1, 1877. av2

Post Office SALOON
Covernment Street,
OPPOSITE UNION HOOK AND LADDER HOUSE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING LEASED the above premises are prepared to supply the best quality of
WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.
CLARKE & SAMPSON, Proprietors.
jy14 3m

Globe Inn, Esquimalt
GENTLEMEN VISITING ESQUIMALT WILL find the best of
Wines, Liquors and Cigars, Good Beds and Meals,
To be had at the GLOBE INN.
y26 WM. SELLECK.

Pacific Telegraph Hotel,
STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FISGARD
Victoria, B. C.
Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The table is supplied with the very best the market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to 6 50; Board and Lodging per Day $1. Single Meals 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.
TERMS—Cash in advance.
Fire-proof Safe in the House.
mh18 3m

COLONIAL HOTEL
TRANSFERRED TO THE
Driard House,
VIEW ST., VICTORIA.
First-Class Hotel and Restaurant.
SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION FOR FAMILIES.
Private Dining Rooms and Parlors.
BILLIARDS.
Nothing will be spared to render the guests as comfortable as any house on the Pacific Coast.
None but the very best (directly imported) Wine Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.
de14 L. S. LUCAS, Props.

ANGEL HOTEL.
Langley St, Victoria, B. C.,
FRED. CARNE, - - - - Proprietor
RATES OF CHARGES:

Board and Lodging per Week	$6 00
Board per Week	5 00
Board and Lodging per Day	1 00
Single Meals	37½
Beads	50

A Fireproof Safe in the House. no3

ROCK BAY HOUSE
BETWEEN THE TWO BRIDGES,
ESQUIMALT ROAD.

IS ONE OF THE MOST COMFORTABLE Wayside Houses in the Province; and being furnished with the very best
ALES, WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS
Is a favorite stopping-place for persons bound to and from Victoria.
My friends are invited to give me a call.
ap30 3m GUS. KOLP

WHY PAY 50 cents for a MEAL,
When you can procure a
Good Meal for 25 Cents
AT THE
Victoria Restaurant,
Johnson St., Victoria, B.C.
SAMUEL WHITLEY & CO., Proprietors.
au29 3m

War News!
EVERYBODY OUGHT TO GO TO H. WARNER'S
STAR SALOON
And practice in his new Shooting Gallery to be prepared for the Russians. The Gallery and Club Rooms open at all hours. au25

FURNITURE.
CROCKERY,
GLASSWARE
Cutlery, Carpets
And all kinds of
HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS
—AT—
Mansell & Holroyd's,
Corner of Yates and Douglas Street.
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